

Evening Performance Series
At Normandale Lake Park

Tuesday and Thursday evenings throughout the summer enjoy free musical performances by a wide variety of talented musicians. Parking is available in the 84th Street and Chalet Road lots.

Blockbusters!
Five Must-See Events



Thursday nights will be rocking at the Bandshell. Soak up the late evening sun while you enjoy free music. Tasty treats and thirst-quenching refreshments will be available for purchase.

A Celtic Solstice on June 17, 6:30 - 9 p.m., highlights Scottish music by Ross and MacKenzie. Irish music and dance will also be featured by 40 Shades of Green with Rince na Chroi Dancers.

80s Music Explosion, sponsored by Majors Sports Cafe, ignites the night on July 15, 6:30 - 9:45 p.m., with Rock It Science and Ladies of the 80s. Chill with your friends to the greatest rock and pop hits of the era.

Latin Music Night will spice up the night, July 22, 6:30 - 9:45 p.m., as Xibaba and Salsa del Soul play some of the best Twin Cities Brazilian and Salsa music.

Blues & BBQ on July 29, 6:30 - 9:45 p.m., features Brandon Scott Sellner and Big Walter Smith and the Groove Merchants. BBQ by Famous Dave's will be available starting at 6:30 p.m.

Bloomington Rocks, also sponsored by Majors Sports Cafe, will knock your socks off on August 5, 6:30 - 9:45 p.m., with great rock tunes and ballads by 8 Foot 4.



Movies in the Park
Friday Nights for Families

Bring the whole family to see *Astro Boy*, July 9, 9 p.m., and *Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs*, August 6, 9 p.m., at the Normandale Lake Bandshell.

Sponsored by M&I Bank.



Bloomington parks will come alive with music, dance and laughter this summer. Grab a blanket and join the festivities. For more information or in case of inclement weather, call the Parks and Recreation 24-hour information line at 952-563-8878.

Website keywords: Arts in Parks.

Go to our website, [click on E-Subscribe](#) and sign up for Arts in the Parks e-mail updates!

Locations	
Bloomington Civic Plaza , 1800 West Old Shakopee Road.	Pond-Dakota Mission Park , 10501 Third Avenue South.
Moir Park , 2298 W 104th Street.	Smith Park , 8155 Park Avenue South.
Normandale Lake Bandshell , 84th Street and Chalet Road.	Sunrise Park , 9401 Blm Ferry Road.

JUNE			
M 14	10:30 a.m.	Minnesota Zoomobile	Moir
Tu 15	7 p.m.	Minnesota Symphonic Winds	Bandshell
Th 17	6:30 - 9 p.m.	A Celtic Solstice Ross and MacKenzie 40 Shades of Green with Rince na Chroi Dancers	Bandshell
M 21	10:30 a.m.	Wiggle, Jiggle, Jam	Smith
Tu 22	7 p.m.	South of the River Community Band	Bandshell
Th 24	7 p.m.	Minnesota Jazz Orchestra	Bandshell
Su 27	12 p.m.	Sandcastles	Bush Lake
Su 27	7 p.m.	John Philip Sousa Band	Pond-Dakota
M 28	10:30 a.m.	Jack Pearson, Mr. Song-Strummin' Storyman	Sunrise
Tu 29	7 p.m.	Bloomington Chorale	Bandshell
JULY			
Sa 3	2 p.m. - dusk	Summer Fete Wiggle, Jiggle and Jam The R Factor Kid Power with Rachael Kroog The Splatter Sisters Bloomington Symphony Orchestra Fireworks	Bandshell Kids' stage Main stage Kids' stage Kids' stage Main stage
Tu 6	7 p.m.	The Frets	Bandshell
Th 8	7 p.m.	Monroe Crossing	Bandshell
F 9	7:30 p.m.	<i>Sponsored by M&I Bank</i> Movies in the Park Tricia and the Toonies Astro Boy	Bandshell
M 12	10:30 a.m.	Kid Power with Rachael Kroog	Moir
Tu 13	7 p.m.	Bloomington Medalist Band	Bandshell
Th 15	6:30 - 9:45 p.m.	<i>Sponsored by Majors Sports Cafe</i> 80s Music Explosion Rock It Science Ladies of the 80s	Bandshell
M 19	10:30 a.m.	Mike Monson	Civic Plaza
Tu 20	7 p.m.	Galactic Cowboy Orchestra	Bandshell
Th 22	6:30 - 9:45 p.m.	Latin Music Night Xibaba Salsa del Soul	Bandshell
M 26	10:30 a.m.	Brian Richards' Magic Show	Smith
Tu 27	7 p.m.	Bavarian Musikmeisters	Bandshell
Th 29	6:30 - 9:45 p.m.	Blues and BBQ Brandon Scott Sellner Big Walter Smith and the Groove Merchants	Bandshell
AUGUST			
M 2	10:30 a.m.	Dennis Warner	Moir
Tu 3	7 p.m.	Medicine Show Music Company	Bandshell
Th 5	6:30 - 9:45 p.m.	<i>Sponsored by Majors Sports Cafe</i> Bloomington Rocks 8 Foot 4	Bandshell
F 6	7:30 p.m.	<i>Sponsored by M&I Bank</i> Movies in the Park Splatter Sisters Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs	Bandshell
Su 8	12 - 5 p.m.	Bloomington Jazz Festival South Side Aces Steve Clarke and the Working Stiffs JazzMN	Bandshell

Sandcastles
Family Afternoon of Fun!

Enjoy an afternoon of sandcastle building, sculpture contests, prizes and more, **Sunday, June 27, 12 p.m. - 3 p.m.**, at Bush Lake Beach.



Summer Fete
Celebrate Independence Day



Once again the annual celebration to honor our nation is back, **Saturday, July 3**, at the Normandale Lake Bandshell. The carnival begins at 2 p.m. Be sure to bring the whole family to enjoy awesome food, carnival games, entertainment and, of course, a fireworks display. The 84th Street Kids' Stage will present family entertainment by Wiggle, Jiggle and Jam, Rachael Kroog with Kid Power and The Splatter Sisters.



To make a donation or order Summer Fete T-shirts, call 952-563-8693 or visit our website.

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Monday Morning Kids Series
Music, Magic and Animals!

Start the week off right! Visit select Bloomington parks on **Mondays at 10:30 a.m.**, for music, a magic show, the Minnesota Zoomobile and more.



Bloomington Jazz Festival
Time to Chill

Jazz fans won't want to miss this premier jazz event. A selection of jazz tunes will be featured, **Sunday, August 8, noon - 4:45 p.m.**, at the Normandale Lake Bandshell. The great lineup includes **South Side Aces**, *above*, **Steve Clarke and the Working Stiffs**, and **JazzMN**.